UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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4 JOHN MUIR HEALTH,

Plaintiff,

v.

CEMENT MASONS HEALTH AND WELFARE TRUST FUND FOR NORTHERN CALIFORNIA,

Defendant.

Case No. 14-cy-03115-TEH

ORDER RE: HEARING ON PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO REMAND

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The parties shall come prepared to address the following at the September 22, 2014 hearing on Plaintiff John Muir Health's motion to remand:

- How should the Court apply the Ninth Circuit's decision in Marin General Hospital v. Modesto & Empire Traction Co., 581 F.3d 941 (9th Cir. 2009), which neither party cited in its papers but which appears instructive, to the facts of this case?
- 2. Is Plaintiff's claim under California Health & Safety Code section 1371.4 preempted under the reasoning of Cleghorn v. Blue Shield of California, 408 F.3d 1222 (9th Cir. 2005)? Plaintiff's Reply failed to respond to this argument, see Opp'n at 9 (Docket No. 11), despite its clear import to the question of federal jurisdiction.
- 3. What is the proper application of the Second Circuit's decision in *Montefiore* Medical Center v. Teamsters Local 272, 642 F.3d 321 (2nd Cir. 2011), which was relied upon heavily in Defendant's Opposition, but which appears to be at odds with Marin General Hospital and went unaddressed in Plaintiff's Reply.

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IT IS SO ORDERED.

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Dated: 09/16/14

United States District Judge